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Re:Request for Additional Information (Amended Year-End Report, 12/31/2017)

Dear Mr. Krieger,

The Committee is in receipt of the Reports Analysis Division's request for additional information regarding the Committee's amended year-end report (Dec. 31, 2017). You request that the Committee "amend [its] report or providing clarifying information as to why this activity was not disclosed on your original report."

As noted in the RFAI, the Committee included a memo text explanation on its amended report already. It was explained that:

This report amends the report originally filed on January 31, 2018 to include activity related to an additional bank account established by a mail vendor that was previously unknown to the committee's compliance officers. This amendment includes receipts from that account, and the committee has also filed an amended Form 1 that lists the additional account on Line 9.

On or about February 12, 2018, the Committee's FEC reporting and compliance officers became aware of a series of transactions associated with a merchant account. By the following day, it had been determined that this account was established by a credit card processing entity and was related to a direct mail vendor used by the Committee. The account was opened in late November 2017 and was used to make contribution deposits and to pay vendors involved with a direct mail program.

The Committee's reporting and compliance officials had not been informed when the account was opened, and the relevant Committee vendor failed to timely forward appropriate information to the Committee. It was subsequently determined that the transactions that were not reported on the Committee's original report occurred between November 27, 2017 – December 31, 2017. These transactions were reported on the Committee's amended report.

The Committee filed an amended year-end report and amended its Statement of Organization to include the additional bank account on February 23, 2018.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any further questions or require any additional information.

Sincerely,
Julie Dozier
Treasurer
New Republican PAC